

THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA
MINUTES FOR THE SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING OF
WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 12, 2000 AT 5:30 P.M.
OLD GLOBE THEATRE
BALBOA PARK
SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA

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CHRONOLOGY OF THE MEETING:

The meeting was called to order by Deputy Mayor Mathis at 5:50 p.m. Deputy Mayor Mathis acknowledged the Mira Mesa High School Band for the beautiful entrance music and announced that the band will be performing this summer as part of the 2000 Sydney, Australia Olympic Band. Deputy Mayor Mathis thanked the San Diego Master Chorale for singing this evening and acknowledged Dr. James Richard Frieman, Music Director of the San Diego Master Chorale. Deputy Mayor Mathis welcomed everyone to Mayor Susan Golding's Eighth Annual State of the City Address. Before adjourning the meeting, Deputy Mayor Mathis invited everyone to join the Mayor and City Council for a reception at the Prado Restaurant. The meeting was adjourned by Deputy Mayor Mathis at 7:43 p.m.

ATTENDANCE DURING THE MEETING:

- (M) Mayor Golding-present
- (1) Council Member Mathis-present
- (2) Council Member Wear-present
- (3) Council Member Kehoe-not present
- (4) Council Member Stevens-present
- (5) Council Member Warden-present
- (6) Council Member Stallings-present
- (7) Council Member McCarty-present
- (8) Council Member Vargas-present
- Clerk-Abdelnour (ew)

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ITEM-1: ROLL CALL

Clerk Fishkin called the roll:

- (M) Mayor Golding-present
- (1) Council Member Mathis-present
- (2) Council Member Wear-present
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- (7) Council Member McCarty-present
- (8) Council Member Vargas-present

ITEM-10: INVOCATION

Invocation was given by Rabbi Alexis Roberts of the Congregation Dor Hadash.

Prior to the invocation, Deputy Mayor Mathis introduced Mayor Susan Golding's father, Dr. Brage Golding, and his friend, Lee, her daughter, Vanessa Golding, her son, Samuel Golding, and her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Bernstein. Deputy Mayor Mathis also recognized his colleagues from San Diego's 62nd City Council: Council Member Wear, Council Member Stevens, Council Member Warden, Council Member Stallings, Council Member McCarty, and Council Member Vargas. He stated that Council Member Kehoe could not attend this evening because she is representing the City at the California Coastal Commission. He also introduced City Attorney Casey Gwinn, City Manager Mike Uberuaga, and Assistant City Clerk Jack Fishkin. Deputy Mayor Mathis acknowledged the wonderful work of Nancy Petek-Williams and Gina Hungerford, the signers for this evening. He also thanked the team of the Old Globe Theatre for hosting this Special Council Meeting. Deputy Mayor Mathis introduced and welcomed Congressman Brian Bilbray, Former Congressman Bill Lowery, County Supervisors Ron Roberts and Diane Jacob, San Diego Police Chief David Bejarano, San Diego Fire Chief Robert Osby, Mayor Mickey Cafagna of Poway and his wife, Sharon, Mayor Joe Kellejian of Solana Beach, San Diego Unified Port District Commissioners Susan Lew and Frank Urtasun. He also welcomed the distinguished members of the San Diego Consular Corps, Consul Ambassador Charles Hostler of Bahrain, Consul Nelson Da Costa Pereira of Brazil, Consul George Gildred of Chile and his wife, Alison, Consul Gene Sapper of Guatemala,

Acting Consul Adriana Gonzalez of Mexico, and her husband, Laurence Correa, Consul Fernand Hermans of the Netherlands and his wife, Patricia, Consul General Dr. Randall Phillips of Japan, Consul Maria Olson of Spain and her husband, Quentin Olson, Consul William Black of the United Kingdom, Consul Bert Salonen of Finland, representing Major General Henry P. Osman, Commander, Marine Corps Recruiting Depot, is Colonel Richard Zales, Commander Battalion, Headquarters and Services United States Marine Corps.

Deputy Mayor Mathis expressed his thanks to the national and state officials whose representatives were in the audience.

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ITEM-20: PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Prior to the Pledge, the Naval Computer and Telecommunications Station's Color Guard presented the Colors.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Lieutenant John William Finn, United States Navy Retired.

The National Anthem was sung by San Diego Children's Choir and led by Music Director Polly Campbell.

The Naval Computer and Telecommunications Station's Color Guard retired the Colors.

Young San Diegan Evan Stanner introduced Mayor Susan Golding.

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ITEM-701: PRESENTED

The matter of the Mayor's Annual State of the City Address.

FILE LOCATION: GEN'L - Mayor's Annual State of the City Address

COUNCIL ACTION: (Tape Location: A322-C332.)

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ADJOURNMENT:

The meeting was adjourned by Deputy Mayor Mathis at 7:43 p.m. after the benediction by Reverend Amanda May of Episcopal Community Services.

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COUNCIL ACTION: (Tape location: C362.)